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Mr. Robert L. Turocy
Picker International, Inc.
595 Miner Road
Highland Heights, OH 44143

Re: Docket No. 93N-0044/EXT 1

Dear Mr. Turocy:

This letter is in response to your request dated June 28, 1998 to extend the comment period until July 16, 1999 on the proposed rule to amend the performance standard for laser products. The agency is granting your request in accordance with 21 CFR 10.40(b)(3). You may submit any comments on the proposed rule by July 16, 1999.

If you have any questions about this, please call, Joseph M. Sheehan at 301-827-2974.

Sincerely Yours,

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